

STATE OF NEW YORK
LEGISLATURE OF ERIE COUNTY
BUFFALO, N.Y., MARCH 3, 2022 A.D.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT at a regular session of the Legislature of Erie County held in the County Hall, in the City of Buffalo, on the 3rd day of March 2022 A.D., a resolution was adopted, of which the following is a true copy:

Honoring and Congratulating Detective James Jackson on his Retirement

WHEREAS, the contributions a police department make to the quality of life for the residents they serve is immeasurable and made possible only by the dedication of the brave men and women of law enforcement; and

WHEREAS, for over 33 years, **James Jackson** has provided distinguished service to the Amherst Police Department, the residents of the Village of Williamsville, and the Town of Amherst and the public and private entities located in our community; and

WHEREAS, **James Jackson's** outstanding performance in law enforcement was marked by his promotion to detective in 2007 and the roles he played in the Crisis Negotiation Unit and the Arson Investigation Unit; and

WHEREAS, throughout each step of his career, Detective **James Jackson** exhibited honesty, creativity, confidence, resilience, accountability, and decisiveness, all characteristics that contributed to his success as a law enforcement leader; and

WHEREAS, Detective **James Jackson** was named the Amherst Bee Officer of the Year (Runner Up) and twice awarded the Departmental Meritorious Service Award; and

WHEREAS, Detective **James Jackson's** leadership and communication skills served as a source of inspiration to the more than 150 sworn officers and 35 employees of the Amherst Police Department who ensure the Town of Amherst remains one of the safest communities in the United States.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Erie County Legislature pauses in its deliberations to honor and congratulate Detective **James Jackson** on his retirement and wishes all the best in his future endeavors.

CHRISTOPHER D. GREENE
Erie County Legislator, District 6